I am disappointed with comments filed on behalf of petitioner SAVI Technology that implies that approval of there petition some how equates to improved homeland security. While this may make a good sound bite, it is my opinion that this comment is purely a political and emotional ploy to prevent the commission from applying common sense and logic to the decision process.

Further, the UHF frequencies proposed for use will inevitably result in degraded performance of amateur radio operations on this band. As the commission knows, the amateur radio service continues to provide public service to the nation (without a profit motive) and the 70cm UHF band is one of the most widely used by the amateur community

I urge the commission to deny the proposed rule changes.

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